

wrbc news



Contact: Pastor Doug Friesen 204-997-6659

Adult Bible Studies (Zoom)

Romans: The Letter that Changed the World (6 video sessions with Mart De Haan)

Thursdays, Jan. 21; Feb. 4, 18; Mar, 4, 18; Apr. 1 Time: 10:00–11:30 am (*Zoom will be open by 9:45am*) Zoom: http://bit.ly/adultbiblestudy Password: 2405

Contact: Doug Friesen (204-997-6659; doug@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

Online Bible Study (Zoom)—Reading Paul's Letters

Discussing the context of Paul's letters and exploring key themes.

Mondays 7:00-9:00pm through April 26 Contact Emmie Dryjski (edryjski@mts.net) Zoom: https://bit.ly/menandwomenofthebible

Meeting ID: 615 870 533

Password: 2405

Precept Bible Study (for men and women) Zoom

Living Out A Biblical Worldview (Daniel Part 2) Cost: \$35 Wednesdays, November 11—February 10, 7:00-09:00pm

Join Zoom Meeting: https://bit.ly/wrbcprecepts
Meeting ID: 293 146 629*. Password: 2405

Contact: Barb Brewer (precept@whyteridgebaptist.ca).

Register online.

Meet Jesus International Bible Study—Sundays, 8:30am

Learn more English as we discover what the Bible tells us about Jesus. Join Zoom Meeting: https://bit.ly/meetjesusbiblestudy

Meeting ID: 138 398 409 Password: 2405

Contact: Brenda Noble - ecc@whyteridgebaptist.ca

Helping People Heal Series:

1.The Conquer Series (October 10 - December 19, 7:30-10:00am)— At 10 week video course to give an introduction to hope and freedom from sexual bondage through proven strategies and practical tools. For men ages 16+.

- **2. Seven Pillars of Freedom (beginning September 21 for 35 weeks)**—An in-depth discipleship program for men who struggle with sex and pornography addiction. Understanding the addictive process, this group experience will equip for lifelong healing. For both groups contact **Steve Morris**: 204-941-3258.
- **3. Betrayal and Beyond (beginning September 23 for 38 weeks)**—A group for women who have been impacted by sexual betrayal and broken trust in their marriage or traumatic life experiences. Contact: **Barb Morris** 204-799-9884.

upcoming events & current news

COVID Update—In response to the most recent COVID restrictions we will be observing the following:

- 1. Sunday morning worship services will be online only.
- 2. The church will remain closed to the public but the office will be available by phone and email 9:00—noon, Tuesday to Friday.
- 3. Pastoral staff may be reached by phone or email.

Thank you for your patience as we try to do our part in keeping our community safe. Our understanding is that this level of precaution will be in place for the next four weeks.

Come to the Quiet (Zoom)

A prayer gathering guided by scripture that takes place on Wednesdays, 10:30—noon.

Join Zoom Meeting: https://bit.ly/cometothequiet Meeting ID: 391 092 210* NEW - Password: 2405 Contact: Erika Cooper – thequiet@whyteridgebaptist.ca

Crisis Pregnancy Centre—Help us support Crisis Pregnancy Centre! Donations of formula donations may be left in the box provided outside the front door of the church. (Enfamil is the most requested, but any brand is appreciated!). Drop off any time. Contact: Karen Owzarek (204-832-0113).

Food Bank Donations—Food bank donations may be left in the box provided outside the front door of the church. Last names A-H: rice; I-P: pasta & tomato sauce; Q-Z: canned fruit.

Annual General Meeting – Sunday, January 31, 7:00 pm on Zoom All members and adherents are invited to attend; we encourage our members to connect for this meeting to ensure we have a quorum. In advance of the AGM, please review the Agenda, as well as the Congregational Meeting Minutes of December 6, 2020 and the 2020 Annual Report (contact the church office for a hard or electronic copy). If you have any questions, please send them to the church office or directly to the author of the applicable section of the report. All attendees must register in advance (the link to join will be included in the confirmation email). Register here: http://bit.ly/wrbcjanuary2021agm

children's ministries

Nursery, SONSeekers, Gr. 5 & 6

Contact: Sheilla Taylor (sheilla@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

We encourage our kids from grade 1 and up to bring their Bibles to SONSeekers and The Wave. We do have Bibles for children (NIrVtranslation - New International Readers Version) for sale at \$20. Please see Sheilla Sunday morning if you are interested in purchasing one.

Kids at the Ridge is ONLINE! You can watch our current (and past) video lessons and activities by going to our webpage www.whyteridgebaptist.ca/children. Scroll down to the bottom of our kids page to see our all of our weekly lesson video posts!

Children's Ministry Program registration for 2020-2021 school year is now open for Sunday Morning Programming for Babies to Grade 6! Register online.

Once we are able to open up our Children's Ministry again in person, we will need to have your registration form filled out! Register anytime!

wrbc calendar this week

Monday 7:00pm Online Bible Study (Zoom)
Wednesday 10:30am Come to the Quiet (Zoom)
Wednesday 7:00pm Precept Bible Study (Zoom)
Thursday 10:00am Adult Bible Study (Zoom)

looking ahead

January 31 7:00pm Annual General Meeting

lifegroups

Contact: Barb Brewer (204-807-5846)



A LifeGroup is a group of people, based on existing or developing friendships, who journey towards Christ-likeness together. For more information check the LifeGroup brochure at the Information Centre or visit our website: http://whyteridgebaptist.ca/grow/lifegroups/

Limited space is available at the church on Tuesday and Thursday evenings for small groups to meet. Please contact Pastor Doug if you would like to reserve a space.

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Youth Ministry gr 6-8 & gr 9-12

Contact: Pastor Rudy Wall (rudy@whyteridgebaptist.ca)

Fridays, 7:00-9:00pm

Join Zoom Meeting: http://bit.ly/4hgzoom

Meeting ID: 651 553 957*

Password: 2405

Instagram: @4hgyouth.

*For those unable to join online, find your local phone number here and use meeting code: https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kbzGYlyh6

growing in grace

Seniors ministry (65+)

Contact: Bonnie (204-489-1482)

Growing in Grace - Future activities temporarily postponed. (Cancelled)

Monthly Giving	December 2020	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	Over (Short)
Offering-General	132,954	1,000,370	1,112,805	(112,435)
Building Fund	89,516	316,699	360,000	(43,300)
Mission Trips	4,465	27,981	41,250	(13,269)
Average per Sunday Attendance for the month n/a				
Attendance & YTD Aver	age n/a			
The offering amounts a	re for the month of December	r. The YTD totals are for	January—December.	